



## Mayor Mark Mallory

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### **Mallory Picks Riordan to Represent the City on Banks Former City Finance Director appointed to the Banks Working Group**

Cincinnati – Mayor Mallory announced today that former Cincinnati Finance Director Tim Riordan will be the city's representative on the Banks Working Group. With the other members of the Working Group revealed earlier in the week, Mallory's announcement of Riordan ends days of speculation about the identity of the final member on the group.

"Tim is a perfect fit for the Banks Working Group," Mayor Mallory said. "For a project of this size and complexity, I was looking for someone with Tim's experience and creativity. He will be a huge asset for the city on the working group."

Tim Riordan retired from the City of Cincinnati in 2004 after eight years, in which he served the city as Finance Director, Acting City Manager, and Assistant City Manager. During his tenure with the city, he worked on large-scale development projects including the Convention Center renovation and expansion. Before coming to Cincinnati, Riordan was the Director of the Office of Management and Budget in Dayton where he won Innovation Awards from the Government Finance Officers Association.

"Now that the city and the county are on the same page, we can start to make some real progress and get the project moving," Mayor Mallory said. "This working group represents a level of cooperation between the city and the county that I don't think many people thought it would happen. I was confident from the beginning that we could build consensus and make it happen."

Riordan joins the other four previously announced members of the Banks Working Group. Cincinnati Red's owner, Bob Castellini will chair the working group. Last week the County announced attorney Tom Gabelman as their representative and approved Castellini's choice of Robert Rhein. Also last week, 3CDC announced that their Executive Director, Stephen Leeper would be their representative to the group.

The announcement came during Mayor Mallory's City Hall weekly press briefing.

*Attached: bio and resume of Tim Riordan.*

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